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Hi Dave –

Good news and bad news. Melissa participated in the Doodle Poll (the good news). People from HQ that I did not invite to the Pend Oreille meeting (Julie Reichert) are participating in the poll. Can you check my message to Julie below to make sure it is not rude, before I send it.

Hi Julie

I noticed that you participated in the doodle poll for the meeting with Ecology. I'm sorry, but we are trying to limit EPA participation in this meeting to a minimal number. One reason is we would rather not out-number the Ecology participants, at least not by a great margin. (I have been arguing that I should not attend). We are hoping that participation from HQ be limited to one person per unit, ideally Jim Curtin, Jim Keating and a representative from the TMDL group. From R10 we will have Dan Opalski, Dave Croxton and Kim Owens. Ecology is likely to have 4 or 5 people, at the most, present. We also think that a small group is a better environment to achieve progress, especially in a two hour discussion.

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